

Lesson 9

Worship God Alone

- Explore the meaning of the first commandment.
- Consider ways that people today sometimes worship false gods.
- Discuss false gods we see today.

Lesson Summary

In this lesson, we will examine the false gods in our world today and learn how to focus our worship only on God.

Lesson Plan

Introduction (Minutes 1-10)

- Pray the Opening Prayer together.
- Review the introduction.
- Show a video or song.

Review Point 1: First Commandment (Minutes 10-15)

Ask the students: What are ways that you and your family worship and honor God?

Review Point 2: False Gods (Minutes 15-20)

Ask the students: Does it seem silly to you that people used to worship a golden calf?

For Additional Reflection:

Why do you think it was easier for them to worship a false god than to worship God in heaven?

Review Point 3: Today's False Gods (Minutes 20-25)

Ask the students: Can you think of a false god that some people worship today? (If the students need help, give examples like being popular or having lots of money).

Activities: Choose 1 or 2

Activity 1: Maze

Navigate the maze to find Jesus, avoiding idols like money and fame along the way.

Answer key:

Activity 2: Prayer Chart

Fill in the prayer chart.

Answer key:

- Answers will vary.



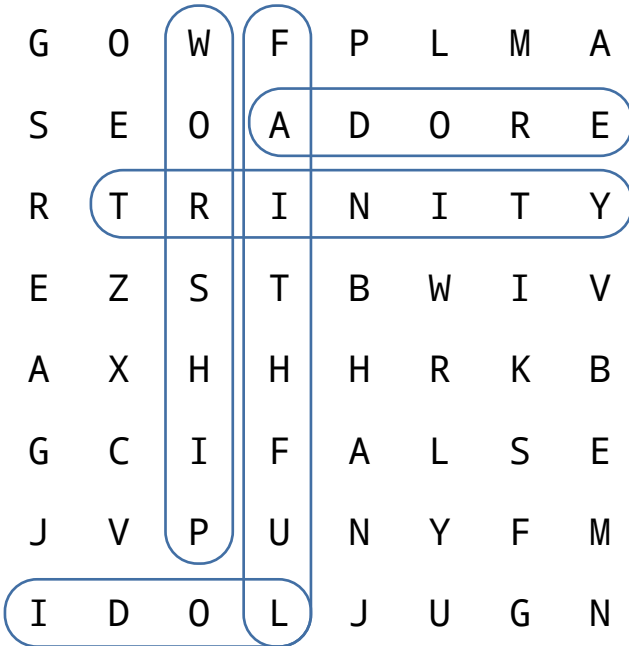
Prayer and Role Model (Minutes 30-35)

- Pray From the Maronite Tradition (Together)

Complete Recall Section (Minutes 35-40)

Find and circle the five words below hidden in this puzzle. Then use the words to answer the questions below.

Answer key:



Review Weekly Journal (Minutes 40-44)

For Additional Reflection:

Think about new ways that you can worship God this week.

Closing (Minutes 45)

- Pray the Concluding Prayer together.

Optional

- Use the Climbing Mountain Section and Reaching the Summit Section.